

**The Federal Judicial Center**

**Presents a**

**National Workshop for**

**U.S. District Judges I**

**April 19-21, 2004**

**Philadelphia, PA**

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## **Monday, April 19, 2004**

8:00 a.m.

### **Welcome**

Hon. Barbara J. Rothstein  
Director, Federal Judicial Center  
Washington, DC

8:15-9:30

### **Evidence Update** (*Grand Ballroom*)

Hon. Andre M. Davis  
U.S. District Judge  
District of Maryland

Prof. Laurie L. Levenson  
Loyola Law School  
Los Angeles, California

9:30-9:45

### **Intermission**

9:45-11:15

### **Alternative Sessions** (*Choose one*)

#### **1. Developments in Patent Law**

(*Grand Ballroom*)

Prof. Peter S. Menell  
Berkeley Center for Law and Technology  
Berkeley, California

Prof. Mark A. Lemley  
Berkeley Center for Law and Technology  
Berkeley, California

#### **2. Section 1983** (*Petite Ballroom*)

Prof. Karen M. Blum  
Suffolk University Law School  
Boston, Massachusetts

### **3. Bankruptcy Issues** (*Pavillion Ballroom*)

Hon. David H. Coar  
U.S. District Judge  
Northern District of Illinois

Hon. Barbara J. Houser  
U.S. Bankruptcy Judge  
Northern District of Texas

11:15-11:30    **Intermission**

11:30-1:00    **Alternative Sessions** (*Choose one*)

#### **1. Developments in Copyright and Trademark Law** (*Grand Ballroom*)

Prof. Peter S. Menell  
Berkeley Center for Law and Technology  
Berkeley, California

Prof. Mark A. Lemley  
Berkeley Center for Law and Technology  
Berkeley, California

#### **2. Immigration Law** (*Petite Ballroom*)

Prof. David A. Martin  
University of Virginia School of Law  
Charlottesville, Virginia

**3. *Brown* at 50:** Drawing upon Justice Douglas's conference notes in *Brown v. Board of Education*, this session will examine why the justices found *Brown* to be a hard case and why they nonetheless were able eventually to achieve a unanimous result. It will also attempt to draw some lessons from this examinations as to how *Brown* influenced racial progress in the United States, how the justices decided cases, and from where the Supreme Court draws its legitimacy. (*Pavillion Ballroom*)

Prof. Michael J. Klarman  
University of Virginia School of Law  
Charlottesville, Virginia

1:00      **Adjournment**

2:00 – 4:00      **Optional Sessions** (*Choose one*)

**1. Psychology of Judging** (*Petite Ballroom*)

Hon. Andrew J. Wistrich, *Moderator*  
U.S. Magistrate Judge  
Central District of California

Prof. Chris Guthrie  
Vanderbilt University Law School  
Nashville, Tennessee

Prof. Jeffrey J. Rachlinski  
Cornell Law School  
Ithaca, New York

**2. Computer Basics** (*Pavillion Ballroom*)

Hon. Nancy S. Nowak  
U.S. Magistrate Judge  
Western District of Texas

Ms. Karen M. Scales  
Automation Training Manager  
Western District of Texas

## **Tuesday, April 20, 2004**

8:00-9:30      **PATRIOT Act** (*Grand Ballroom*)

Hon. Gerald Bruce Lee  
U.S. District Judge  
Eastern District of Virginia

Prof. Susan N. Herman  
Brooklyn Law School  
Brooklyn, New York

9:30-9:45      **Intermission**

9:45-11:15      **Alternative Sessions** (*Choose one*)

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**2. Capital Case Management Panel Discussion**  
(*Petite Ballroom*)

Hon. H. Ginger Berrigan, *Moderator*  
Chief Judge  
Eastern District of Louisiana

Hon. Nancy G. Edmunds  
U.S. District Judge  
Eastern District of Michigan

Hon. Arthur J. Tarnow  
U.S. District Judge  
Eastern District of Michigan

### **3. International Litigation in the U.S. Courts:**

Doctrine and Practice: Discovery, Parallel Proceedings,  
and Forum Non Conveniens (*Grand Ballroom*)

John Fellas, Esq., *Moderator*  
Hughes, Hubbard & Reed  
New York, New York

Hon. Janet Bond Arterton  
U.S. District Judge  
District of Connecticut

Prof. Linda J. Silberman  
New York University School of Law  
New York, New York

David Zaslow, Esq.  
Baker & McKenzie  
New York, New York

11:15-11:30     **Intermission**

11:30-1:00     **PROTECT ACT** (*Grand Ballroom*)

Hon. Sim Lake  
U.S. District Judge  
Southern District of Texas  
Chair, U.S. Judicial Conference Committee  
on Criminal Law

Hon. William K. Sessions III  
Chief Judge  
District of Vermont  
Vice-Chair, U.S. Sentencing Commission

1:00             **Adjournment**

2:00 – 4:00

**Optional Sessions** (*Choose one*)

**1. U.S. Sentencing Commission Update**  
(*Petite Ballroom*)

Hon. William K. Sessions III

L. Russell Burress  
Principal Advisor  
U.S. Sentencing Commission

Pamela G. Montgomery, Esq.  
Director and Chief Counsel  
Office of Education and Sentencing Practice  
U.S. Sentencing Commission

**2. Case/Calendar Management/CM/ECF**  
(*Pavillion Ballroom*)

Hon. Catherine C. Blake  
U.S. District Judge  
District of Maryland

Hon. J. Frederick Motz  
U.S. District Judge  
District of Maryland

Hon. Thomas I. Vanaskie  
Chief Judge  
Middle District of Pennsylvania

Ms. Mary E. D'Andrea  
Clerk of Court  
Middle District of Pennsylvania

## **Wednesday, April 21, 2004**

- 8:00-9:30      **Public Outreach/Ethics Update**  
                    *(Grand Ballroom)*
- Hon. Charles N. Clevert, Jr.  
U.S. District Judge  
Eastern District of Wisconsin  
Chair, FJC Committee on District Judge Education
- Hon. William L. Osteen, Sr.  
U.S. District Judge  
Middle District of North Carolina  
Chair, U.S. Judicial Conference Committee on  
Codes of Conduct
- 9:30-9:45      **Intermission**
- 9:45-11:15     **Supreme Court Update** *(Grand Ballroom)*
- Prof. Erwin Chemerinsky  
University of Southern California School of Law  
Los Angeles, California
- 11:15          **Evaluations and Final Adjournment**